U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE - Patent and Trademark Office Application No. 09/5/2-359

NOTICE OF DRAFTSPERSON'S PATENT DRAWING REVIEW

The drawing(s) filed (insert date) (are.) The drawing(s) filed (insert date) (are.) The drawing(s) filed (insert date) (are.)		
A. approved by the Diatisperson unor the approved below	The Ex	xaminer will require
B. Sobjected to by the Draftsperson under 37 CFR 1.84 or 1.152 for the reasons indicated below.	g to th	e instructions on the back of this notic

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1. DRAWINGS. 37 CFR 1.84(a): Acceptable categories of drawings:	8. ARRANGEMENT OF VIEWS. 37 CFR 1.84(i)
1. DRAWINGS. 37 CFR 1.04(a). Acceptable categories	Words do not appear on a horizontal, left-to-right fashion
Black ink. Color. Color drawings are not acceptable until petiton is granted.	when page is either upright or turned so that the top
	becomes the right side, except for graphs. Fig(s)
Fig(s)	9. SCALE. 37 CFR 1.84(k)
Pencil and non black ink not permitted. Fig(s)	C1 large arough to show mechanism without
2. PHOTOGRAPHS. 37 CFR 1.84 (b)	crowding when drawing is reduced in size to two-thirds in
1 full-tone set is required. Fig(s)	reproduction.
Photographs not properly mounted (must use brystol board of	Fi-(a)
photographic double-weight paper). Fig(s)	10. CHARACTER OF LINES, NUMBERS, & LETTERS.
Foor quality (half-tone). Fig(s)	(37 CFR 1.84(i)
TYPE OF PAPER 37 CFR 1.84(e)	Lines, numbers & letters not uniformly thick and well
Paper not flexible, strong, white, and durable.	defined, clean/durable, and black (poor line quality).
Fig(s)	
Erasures, alterations, overwritings, interlineations,	Fig(s)
folds, copy machine marks not accepted. Fig(s)	11. SHADING. 37 CFR 1.84(m)
Mylar, velum paper is not acceptable (too thin).	Solid black areas pale. Fig(s)
	Solid black shading not permitted. Fig(s)
Fig(s)	Chade lines, pale grouph and bluffed, Fig(S)
4. SIZE OF PAPER. 37 CFR 1.84(f): Acceptable sizes:	12. NUMBERS, LETTERS, & REFERENCE CHARACTERS.
21 0 cm by 29.7 cm (DIN size A4)	27 CED 1 94(a)
21.6 cm by 27.9 cm (8 1/2 x 11 inches)	Numbers and reference characters not plain and legible.
All drawing sheets not the same size.	Fig(s) 5(a
Chast(c)	Figure legends are poor. Fig(s)
Drawings sheets not an acceptable size. Fig(s)	Numbers and reference characters not oriented in the
5. MARGINS. 37 CFR 1.84(g): Acceptable margins:	same direction as the view. 37 CFR 1.84(p)(1)
Top 2.5 cm Left 2.5cm Right 1.5 cm Bottom 1.0 cm	Fig(s) English alphabet not used. 37 CFR 1.84(p)(2)
S17F: A4 Size	
Top 2.5 cm Left 2.5 cm Right 1.5 cm Bottom 1.0 cm	Figs
SIZE: 8 1/2 x 11	Numbers, letters and reference characters must be at feast
SIZE: 0 1/2 A 11	.32 cm (1/8 inch) in height. 37 CFR 1.84(p)(3)
Margins not acceptable. Fig(s)	Fig(s)
100(1)	13. LEAD LINES. 37 CFR 1.84(q)
	Lead lines cross each other. Fig(s)
6. VIEWS. 37 CFR 1.84(h)	Lead lines missing. Fig(s)
REMINDER: Specification may require revision to	MUMPEDING OF SHEETS OF DRAWINGS. 37 CFR 1.84(1)
correspond to drawing changes.	Sheets not numbered consecutively, and in Arabic numerals
Partial views 37 CFR 1.84(h)(2)	beginning with number 1. Sheet(s)
Brackets needed to show figure as one entity.	LE NUMBERING OF VIEWS 37 CFR 1.84(u)
Fin(s)	Views not numbered consecutively, and in Arabic numerals,
Views not labeled separately or properly.	beginning with number 1. Fig(s)
Fin(s)	16. CORRECTIONS. 37 CFR 1.84(w)
Enlarged view not labeled separetely or properly.	Corrections not made from prior PTO-948
Fig(s)	
7. SECTIONAL VIEWS. 37 CFR 1.84 (h)(3)	dated
Hatching not indicated for sectional portions of an object.	17. DESIGN DRAWINGS. 37 CFR 1.152
	Surface shading shown not appropriate. Fig(s)
Fig(s) Sectional designation should be noted with Arabic or	Solid black shading not used for color contrast.
	Fig(s)
Roman numbers. Fig(s)	
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Attachment for PTO-948 (Rev. 03/01, or earlier) 6/18/01

The below text replaces the pre-printed text under the heading, "Information on How to Effect Drawing Changes," on the back of the PTO-948 (Rev. 03/01, or earlier) form.

INFORMATION ON HOW TO EFFECT DRAWING CHANGES

1. Correction of Informalities - 37 CFR 1.85

New corrected drawings must be filed with the changes incorporated therein. Identifying indicia, if provided, should include the title of the invention, inventor's name, and application number, or docket number (if any) if an application number has not been assigned to the application. If this information is provided, it must be placed on the front of each sheet and centered within the top margin. If corrected drawings are required in a Notice of Allowability (PTOL-37), the new drawings MUST be filed within the THREE MONTH shortened statutory period set for reply in the Notice of Allowability. Extensions of time may NOT be obtained under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) or (b) for filing the corrected drawings after the mailing of a Notice of Allowability. The drawings should be filed as a separate paper with a transmittal letter addressed to the Official Draftsperson.

2. Corrections other than Informalities Noted by Draftsperson on form PTO-948.

All changes to the drawings, other than informalities noted by the Draftsperson, MUST be made in the same manner as above except that, normally, a highlighted (preferably red ink) sketch of the changes to be incorporated into the new drawings MUST be approved by the examiner before the application will be allowed. No changes will be permitted to be made, other than correction of informalities, unless the examiner has approved the proposed changes.

Timing of Corrections

Applicant is required to submit the drawing corrections within the time period set in the attached Office communication. See 37 CFR 1.85(a).

Failure to take corrective action within the set period will result in ABANDONMENT of the application.